

# RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE GROUP 3737 PATENT APPLICATION

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IMAGE DISPLAY

METHOD AND A

APPARATUS

**THEREFOR** 

## RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 03, 2006, please consider the remarks as submitted herewith on the accompanying pages.

## **REMARKS**

Claims 1-46 are all the claims pending in the application.

## **DOUBLE PATENTING:**

Claims 1-46 are provisionally rejected under the judicially created doctrine of obviousness-type double patenting as being unpatentable over claims 1-17 of copending application No. 10/138,527 (hereinafter "527").

To overcome the obviousness-type double patenting rejection, and as the path of least resistance, Applicants submit herewith a suitable Terminal Disclaimer. The filing of a Terminal